

# HOUSE BILL No. 1691

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 25-4-1-8.

**Synopsis:** Architect licensing. Requires an individual who is an architect registered in another jurisdiction to meet the requirements placed on an architect who is a resident of Indiana before the individual may obtain a certificate of registration as a registered architect.

**Effective:** July 1, 1999.

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January 26, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Commerce and Economic Development.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1       SECTION 1. IC 25-4-1-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
2 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 8. (a) As used in this section,  
3 "out-of-state applicant" means an individual who is an architect  
4 registered or licensed under the laws of another state, a foreign country,  
5 or a province in a foreign country and who is an applicant for a  
6 certificate of registration as a registered architect.  
7       (b) This section applies only to an out-of-state applicant.  
8       (c) The board shall grant a certificate of registration to an  
9 out-of-state applicant upon the following conditions:  
10       (1) The out-of-state applicant must be at least eighteen (18) years  
11 of age and must not have been convicted of:  
12       (A) an act that would constitute a ground for disciplinary  
13 sanction under IC 25-1-11; or  
14       (B) a felony that has a direct bearing on the applicant's ability  
15 to practice competently.  
16       (2) If registered in the other jurisdiction after June 30, 1979, the  
17 out-of-state applicant must meet both of the following conditions:



- 1 (A) Have  
 2 (i) met the requirements specified by section 7(a)(1) and  
 3 7(a)(2) of this chapter. ~~or~~  
 4 (ii) ~~earned a bachelor's degree in a design discipline and~~  
 5 ~~have at least seven (7) years of experience as a registered~~  
 6 ~~architect.~~  
 7 (B) Have passed the examination required in Indiana, or the  
 8 equivalent, at the time the out-of-state applicant was registered  
 9 in the other jurisdiction.  
 10 (3) If registered in the other jurisdiction before July 1, 1979, the  
 11 out-of-state applicant must meet the following conditions:  
 12 (A) Have met the education and work experience requirements  
 13 in effect in Indiana when the out-of-state applicant was  
 14 registered in the other jurisdiction.  
 15 (B) Have passed the examination required in Indiana, or the  
 16 equivalent, at the time the out-of-state applicant was registered  
 17 in the other jurisdiction.  
 18 (4) The out-of-state applicant must pay fees established by the  
 19 board.  
 20 (d) If an out-of-state applicant does not meet the examination  
 21 requirements under subsection (c)(2) or (c)(3), the board may require  
 22 the out-of-state applicant to pass a written examination and an oral  
 23 interview necessary to achieve equivalence to the examination required  
 24 in Indiana at the time the out-of-state applicant was registered in the  
 25 other jurisdiction.

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